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GOVERNOR OTTER SCHEDULES APRIL CAPITAL FOR A DAY IN PIERCE

(BOISE) – Governor C.L. "Butch" Otter announced today that his next Capital for a Day will be **Tuesday, April 28th, in the Clearwater County community of Pierce.**

Governor Otter brings State government to Idahoans living outside Boise each month by making a different town in Idaho the state's "Capital for a Day." The meetings provide local residents an opportunity to have open discussions about government issues and public policy with Governor Otter, members of his Cabinet and other senior State officials.

The Capital for a Day on April 28th is scheduled from **9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Idaho Youth** ChalleNGe School in Pierce.

State officials joining Governor Otter at Capital for a Day will include Lieutenant Governor Brad Little, Idaho National Guard Adjutant General Gary Sayler, Idaho Department of Lands Director Tom Schultz, Idaho Department of Fish and Game Director Virgil Moore, Idaho Department of Labor Director Ken Edmunds, and Dustin Miller, administrator of the Idaho Office of Species Conservation. Also on hand to answer questions will be representatives from the Idaho State Department of Education, Idaho Department of Commerce, Idaho Department of Environmental Quality, Idaho Department of Correction, and Idaho Division of Building Safety.

"There truly are few places in Idaho as rich in history as Pierce, and I'm proud to become part of that history by bringing my Cabinet to town," Governor Otter said. "From its founding by Captain Elias Pierce and its brief but glorious gold rush in the 1860s to its timber legacy and now its hosting of the groundbreaking Idaho Youth ChalleNGe program, this community has never been an easy place to stake a claim. But it is a richly rewarding place for those tough enough and determined enough to call it home."